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The President of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha is quoted by the Nichi Nichi Shimbun as speaking in a very pesimistic strain of the prospects of the maritime carrying trade. Mr. Kondo says that no announcement has yet been received as the enforcement of the new railway tariff in the United States, but if it becomes an accomplished fact it will add to the difficulties of the steamship companies. Already the latters' charges barely suffice to cover expenses, and there is no margin whatever for reduction. The companies which are closely associated with the railways will not suffer so much, because it would be in their case a merely nominal difference, but the independent companies will be hady hit. There is no margin for them to lower their rates and they must just leave things as they of the cargo hitherto carried by the Pacific CURRENT COSTroute will go round by the Suez Canal. Mr Kondo sees no prospect of better times for shipping. The fall of silver, the boycott, natural columities and other causes conspire suffering from commercial depression, and there are many more ships than the carrying trade needs. There is nothing for it but to struggle on and lat the fittest survive. The trust movement recently started by Japaneso tramp steamors is certainly in the right direction, and a good deal might be accomplished if the great shipping companies all over the world formed something like a conference.

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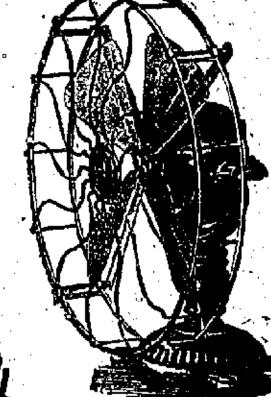
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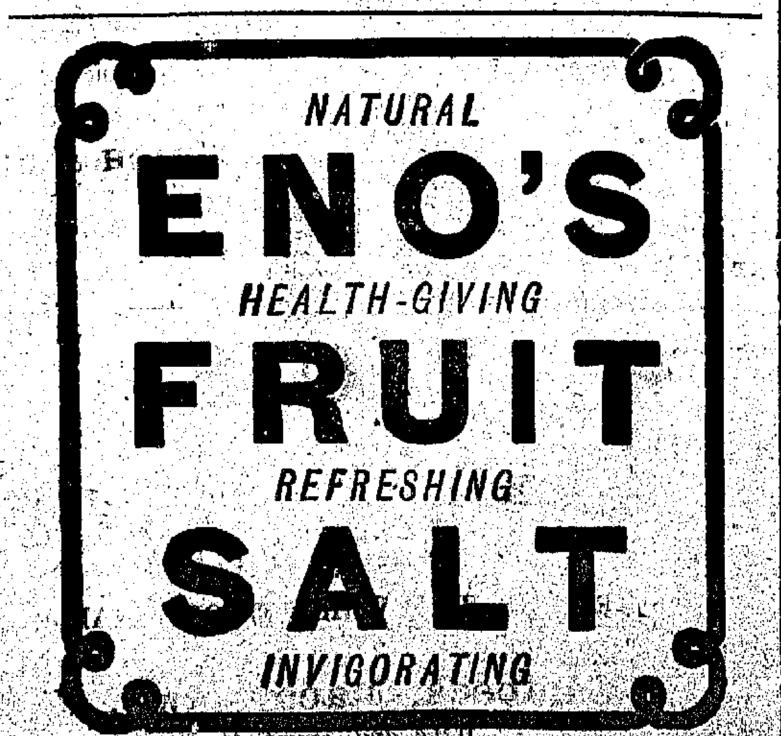
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LAMBETH DECISIONS.

Faith And Modern Thought.

LONDON, Aug. 8. The Archbishop of Canterbury has issued an encyclical embodying the decisions of the Lambeth Conference of Archbishops and Bishops of the Anglican Church. The encyclical, referring to faith and

modern thought, re-affirms the doctrines of the Trinity, the Incarnation, and the bistoric creeds. It considers that materialism docs not possess the strength and attractiveness it once did. It urges schoolmasters and university tenchers to remember the pastoral aspect of their offices. It protests against any education which does not fashion the child's character in the faith and fear of God, and insists on the teaching of Scripture as the basis for such work.

The encyclical does not recommend the anointing of the sick as a rite of the Church, but it does not forbid the practice: Referring to marriage problems, the encyclical deplores the terrible increase in the facilities for divorce. The conference affirms by 87 votes to 84 the principles of divorce adopted by the Lambeth Conference of 1888, but it makes no general declaration referring to the legislation permitting marriage with a deceased wife's sister. It laments the widespread prevalence of artificial avoidance and prevention of child-bearing.

While recognising the imperative necessity for effective and visible co-operation among Christian workers, the one clical indicates the remoteness rather than the nearness of the corporate re-union of the Churches of divided Christendon, Nevertheless, it indicates some lines of definite and practical approach. "We must," it | OFFICE ASSISTANT, Typist and 816 says, "constantly desire, not compromise but comprehension, not uniformity but prospects. unity. The conference considers that it might be possible to make an approach to a re-union of the Anglican Church and Presbyterian, or other non-episcopal Church." It recommends permission to bishops to assist in the consecration of

bishops of the Moravian brethren. The conference directs the Primate of All England (the Archbishop of Canterbury) to appoint a committee to improve Sunday. school instruction.

The conference authorises local churches to adopt native forms of marriage if not polygamous. The conference urges the abolition of

redundant rubrics to avoid repetition, also the enrichment of forms of services and worship from older methods, also more alternative forms of worship. The conference also recommends that a re-translation be made of the Athanasian creed, leaving the churches to decide upon its use. It recommends a change in obscure words and a revision of the calendar and tho tables of lessons.

The conference does not consider it desirable to make a change in the manner of administering the communion, but de places that bread and wine alone are sanc-

The archbishops and bishops urge the Church to strengthen its relations with the ancient Dutch Church, and the Old Catholic Churches, especially in Germany, Switzerland, and Austria. They also urge the appointment of a committee to consider relations with the Greek Orthodox Church and the Churches of the East, including permission to communicate.

The encyclical warns members of the Church against marrying Roman Catholics. It advises that the social mission and the social principles of Christianity should be given a more prominent place in the study and teaching of the Church, both for clorgy and laity.

The conference allots the Church in Australia and Tasmania one member on the reconstituted Central Consultative Board, also the Church in New Zealand one mem-

- London, August 10. Details of the meetings of the Lambeth Conference show that the bishops suggested that in the welcome event of any project of reunion between any Church in the Anglican communion and any Pre byterian or other non-episcopal Church, which while preserving the faith in its integrity and purity has also exhibited care regarding the form and intention of ordination to the ministry, reaching the stage of responsible official negotiation, it might be possible to approach reunion on (Continued on Page 3.)

VOLUNTEER CONCERT.

GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT A will be held on the VOLUNTEER PARADE GROUND, at 9.16 P.M., op SATURDAY, the 12th September, 1908. By kind permission of Lieur. Colonel R. F. B. Glover, D.S.O., the Band of the 3rd Mi dlesex Reg will attend Tickets \$2 and \$1 can be obtained from VOLUNTEER HEADQUARTERS and Measure KELLY & WAIAH The following ladies and gentlemen have kindly consented to sesist :- Mrs G. B. Edwards. The Misses Seth. Mesers G Edwards, P. W. Geldring, Wilter B. bedetto, Iv n aryl, Graff, W. II. Hannibal. A UHAPMAN, Lt.-Ool.,

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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Society will be bein i the CITY HALL, on PRIDAY, the 25th instant, at B.S. P.M. for the purpose of receiving the Annual Report and Sta ement of Accounts for the year ending Sist August; of electing Office-bearers for the ensuing year, de

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the

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A great many dogs travel on railways simply by reason of their instinctively tramp-like disposition. Many such, great favourites with trainmen, are everywhere received and cared for by the men about, the yards as privileged guests. The most remarkable rival to the railway tramp dogs s the well known Maltese "hobe" Jinks, which, it would appear, is not only a well looked after tramper of America, but is a globetrotter as well. Jinks appeared at the Union Station in Cincinnati some years ago as the sole survivor, apparently of an Ohio steamer that had been wrecked. The big Maltese at once appealed to the sympathies of the railway men at the Cincinnati station, who immediately became her fast friends.

In a little while Jinks ovinced a peculiar streak for a cat, the feline being ordinarily of quite a domestic turn—she wanted to "look about." At first her trips were short ones; but eventually she increased her mileage and the length of her sojourns from home. In view of Jinks' disposition to see the world, the Cincinnati employés finally determined to afford her an opportunity to do so to the fullest extent. They provided her with a handsome collar bearing her name and address, to which was added a request that her friends everywhere enter her doings in a small diary enclosed in a miniature knapsack strapped to her back,

Jinks reappears from time to time, when, railway men aver, there are always interesting items added to her itingrary. Jinks' diary records the fact that she has survived four big railway wrecks in America, besides a shipwreck in the Indian Ocean. She has crossed the Atlantic eight. times, and the Pacific twice, and, though she has never, so far as known, taken the trip up the Nile, she has crossed the Mediterranean on two different occasions. Jinks one year put in most of her time on a British vessel in Chinese waters, when she was stolen by a native, but was afterwards recovered by the British seamen, who had taken a great fancy to her.

The attachment was not, however, entirely mutual, for at the end of the year the Maltese patriotically boarded an American man-of-war, the crew of which provided perhaps the most interesting items in her diary. With them she returned to the Pacific coast. Here, however, she remained only a few days, taking passage for South America. She next appeared in New York, coming on a liu r from Cuba. PANY, LD., are now prepared to having evidently worked her way through South America. Jinks landed from a train at Buffalo recently; and, after a brief stay with her railroad friends at the station departed on a train for Vancouver, and for the present is lost to history.

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1908.

SPYING OUT THE LAND. For some few years before the outbreak of the Russo-Japanese war travellers in Japan, particularly if they belonged to any nation baving its habitat on the continent of Europe, were loud in their complaints of the manner in which all their movements were spied upon during their sojourn. become a geographical fiction for us. There was a good deal of justification | We dream of the seven-leagued boots system of constant capionage, for the from Berlin to Bombay. Mr MAXSE's the idea that every foreigner who | Copenhagens on the German coast. landed on their shores had come with is all very comio; but no one who carries land for the ultimate benefit of the mili- summer of 1870 will be disposed to tary intelligence departments of their laugh at it. What we want is a good respective nations. It was a silly aberration and one that led to much would probably be better worth inventunnecessary ill-feeling before the mania, ing than a new aeroplane." bad run its course. Sporadio cases are still reported from Japan to-day, come from? We are still on the downthough on the whole the "spy mania" ward curve of a severe tradal depress sceptical.

PARIS, may be said to be moribund in the Mika- sion, the coming winter promises to be do's realm. But to judge from papers a very sad one for the working-classes, coming out from home in recent owing to the utter lack of employment, mails, a similar phenomenon is now particularly in the iron and shipmanifesting itself strongly in England. building trades, and these troubles We find a Colonel Lorsdale Hall will assuredly not each as a correcwriting to The Times in the following strain :-- " I do sometimes have my hair cut, and a short time ago I missed the German who had had to do his best to make my head look tidy. His employer told me he had gone. I wondered whether in his pocket book were memoranda as to the telegraph wires 679 outside the shop, the sidings at Camberley. Railway Station, or the bridges Britain and Germany the true solution over the Blackwater. It is not worth of many of the most vexing of modern our while to learn all about German and Berlin topography, as by no possibility could our army ever be there; but German knowledge of British and London topography is an invaluable . 111 asset at Berlin. It is at solutely impossible in any civilised country to prevent any foreign War Office getting whatever information of this kind they wish to obtain, except in fortresses, dockyards and their immediate vicinity; but as I have said, the efforts to obtain the information are in proportion to its probable eventual prac-Goods per Siberia undelivered at noon tical value; so we have merely to keep lour eyes and ears open, and we shall then form a very fair estimate as to Goods per Lutzow undelivered after this which of our foreign (at present) friends is most actively set on prepar-

ing for the eventuality of becoming a foreign foe." The writer in The Times quickly had dozens of imitators in the wide-spread lications, and of course they were allowed to indulge in their silly fancies to their hearts' content in one and all of these "popular" papers. Naturally the latest craze of an hysterical, ill-balanced public, and who can blame it? The collected: evil has spread beyond the masses, however. As the Daily Graphic, in the course of a sensible leading art icle on the subject, remarked Were the affliction confined to our yellow newspapers and navy-blue re-Communications relating to news should be views we should feel disposed to laugh with our Teuton friends; but it and addresses with any communications ad spread extensively, and one cannot enter a drawing-room or join a dinner-party without hearing the most fearsome stories of the legion of German spics the Indian Plague Commission. No anonymously signed communications that the KAISER is naïvely alleged to have let loose on this once happy land. It is, of | suicide of Dr. J. B. A. Raux, assistant Orders for extra copies of the 'CHINA MAIL | course, very foolish, but it is also not a should be sent before II a.m. on the day after little disturbing. It shows that the imited. Cash 10 ets., Credit 20 ets., per German bogey is getting badly on our nerves. We are not sure that it does not point to a certain deterioration of The first serious symptom showed itself in the neurotic paroxysm which followed the relief of Mafeking. Since then we seem to have fallen an easy prey every sensational panic-monger who lays

ness, our 'phlegm,' is descriing us, and way, for the half-year ending June 30, we are becoming an hysterical people. have just been published, the P. & T. Times himself out to make our flesh creep. half-year, it is anticipated, will show a In vain does Admiral FISHER bid us further decrease. What it is to be next sleep soundly o' nights, on the ground | year no one knows but nothing very that he is in the national crow's nest We refuse to be comforted. We are haunted by Zeppelin airships and ubi- not seem to realize that the present quitous 'Pickelhaubes.' We doze over the National Review of an evening, and wake up at midnight in cold sweats. persuaded that Pomeranian Grenadiers, more or less disguised, are under our beds, or a posse of Uhlans is in the back garden. The silver streak has in their protests against this irritating the Kaiser taking one mighty stride hurry. A policeman, breaking in one of be \$1000; the chief officer, two journeys, Japanese official mind became for the 'inevitable war' obsesses us, and we filled with smoke and the occupants seemed and he thought one of the crew of the time being thoroughly obsessed with are possessed by wild thoughts of new too dezed to move. Finding his voice in Akishi who rowed, \$200; those who the express purpose of spying out the his mind back to Paris in the feverish seized—only to find him come to pieces in certained. That was about \$10 to \$12 healthy cold douche of some kind.

And where is that cold douche to

tive to a nation whose nerves are all unstrung. Normal modes of thought will come again with the restoration of normal times, and the sooner their approach is signalled the better it ing questions to the nautical assessors, will for everyone, and more particularly for the ease of mind of that soberheaded, for-sighted section of English opinion which sees in a thoroughly good understanding between Great

NEWS OF THE DAY.

political and industrial problems.

The Parsees' New Year's Day falls on Mr Consul General Wilder left Manila

on Sept. 7th for a tour through Luzon. The Chinese Government has strictly forbidden the export of grain from all

provinces, owing to the bad harvest. Mr John Cowen has left Tientsin for does not seem to have been any immediate England via Siberia and has handed over the editorship of The China Times to Mr C. B. Cowen.

The Waiwupu has decided that special Bureaux of Foreign Affairs shall be appointed in each province, with a certain amount of responsibility.

The growth of illicit traffic in opium between India and Burma shows no sign of It could not have been high sea. But we decline, and an amendment of the existing are of opinion that the weather was not in law may be found necessary.

The military authorities of the Peiyang have arranged to purchase arms and,amarea covered by the Harmsworth pub- munition from the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha and Messrs Arnhold, Karberg and Co., to the total of Tls. 840,000.

The Japan Mail states that the collection of money among the leading citizens of Yokohama for entertaining the officers German press has made merry over this and blue jackets of the American Battleship Fleet is progressing satisfactorily. About twenty thousand yen has already been

The inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the deaths of seventeen persons, who were killed through the collapse of houses at Shaukiwan West, in the recent typhoon, was resumed before Mr time, any cause for anxiety to the captain J. H. Kemp, at the Magistracy, this of the Yochow in regard to the safety of afternoon. We hold over our report.

the Sanitary Department of Hongkong a copy of a blue book issued from the Govern ment printing office in Calcutta, entitled The Etiology and epidemiology Plague," being a summary of the work of

Colombo papers give details of the medical officer at the Asylum. In his room three phials of prussic acid were discover ed. Two books also lay open on the tableone was Bacon's Essay "On Death," and the other an edition of Shakespeare containing Hamlet's, soliloquy "To be or not to be."

The accounts of the Shantung railsome \$40,000 to be accounted for by the decrease in goods traffic. The passenger troffic has increased. As trade in Tsintau and Kiaochow continues dull, with no sign of future improvement, the next brilliant is to be looked forward to. The railway administrators do not care admit that trade prospects are bad and do stagnation is bound seriously to affect the returns of the line.

It is strange, writes the Japan Gasette, how gleams of humour appear in the saddest and most regrettable happenings. In the disastrous fire that destroyed Mr do Becker's house at Kamakura there would hardly appear to he room for laughter, but one incident was very mirth provoking. he fire spread with great ration of the very little salvage.

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THE STRANDING OF THE S.S. AKASHI MARU. The Award.

The Chief Justice, Sir Francis Piggott, gave his award, at the Supreme Court, this morning, in the action by Chan Tak Loong and Co., who sued Messrs Butterfield and Swire and the China Navigation Co., Ltd., for \$10,833 for services rendered in connection, with the stranding of the s.s. Akashi

His Lordship said he had put the follow-Commander R. M. Penfold, R.N., and Captain Robinson.

Was the Akushi Maru in a position of extreme peril both with regard to the vessel, the cargo and the persons on board when she was on the North Merope shoal, and when the salving operations, the subject matter of this action were undertaken by the Yochow and those on board her?

The assessors answered :-- Yes, with the captain of the Akashi, making it in all regard to ship and cargo; but with regard to the passengers they were in peril, but \$4500.

not extreme peril. It is suggested by both assessors that the boats could have got with moderate case to the shore four miles off, to leeward, with wind and tide, and could have made been landed on shore about fifteen miles be preached by the Ven. Archdeacon as the crow flies from Amoy, or with Banister. improving weather one boat could have been sent round for assistance. The signal "We are sinking" was holsted, but there

peril of her breaking up.

In her manouvres to take up the position she did to the leeward of the shoal, did the Yochow run any risk which would not have been incidental to the continuance of her voyage to Hongkong having specially in view that she had two lighters in tow? If the answer is in the affirmative. What degree of extra risk did she incur. The answer was :- It was not high sea. any sense bad weather, but rdinary fresh monsoon weather with a fresh, strong breeze and-in the comparatively sheltered position of the salvage operation-a moderately rough sea. But there was some extra risk incurred in approaching within

one quarter mile of a dangerous reef with a small scale chart. The same questions were repeated with regard to the period during which she remained at anchor in that position bearing in mind her special manoeuvres of making a lee-side to enable the boats from the Akishi to put the people on board the

Yechow with greater safety. anchor. In case of tide turning she would have weighed and anchored further off. In connection with questions 2 and 3, was there at any time, and if so at what his own vessel and tow?

The answer was :- The assessors were of We have received from the Head of head to not the manageuvre of rounding formed by the Yochow, while naturally attended with a certain amount of anxiety and risk in making a long sweep round on comparatively narrow waters was notwhen executed with promptitude and skill one of absolute danger to life or preperty on either the Yoch w or her tow. That this manoeuvre and the subsequent proceedings of salvage in handling the Yechow and getting the passengers, specie and boats safely on board the Yochow were executed with an admirable degree of

seamanlike promptitude and skill. Was there any, and if so what, special exertion required on the part of those who went from the Yochow on the first or second journeys to the Akashi rescue the people on board of her? (a) In

both ways; (c) Special exertion. The same question, with the word gramme has been arranged and contains 'peril" substituted for "special exertion"? in (b) owing to overloading, and (e) same, but no peril in (a) The answer was: There was peril, but not extreme peril. That while the last two journeys of the Akashi's lifeboat manned by members of the Yochow crew were attended with the risk which is always attached to boat work on even a moderate films will also be shown. sea and especially approaching the lee side of a wrecked vessel, and were extremely exhausting, and were courageously and skilfully performed, the facts as presented do not warrant the assumption that the crews were at any time in unusual peril

His Lordship agreed with the assessors on the evidence as to salvage. He had therefore to award a liberal reward for criticisms of the action of the Government" services rendered as defined by the forepidity and the inhabitants escaped with going answers. With regard to the boat or more beneficial administration of India little clothing, so great was the need for crews for special services the award would should take the form of constitutional the windows, saw two figures within and \$500; two officers, one journey each. \$150; called to them to escape. The room was (crow) including the passenger who rowed, sufficient the intropid officer climbed into went both journeys to get two shares. the room determined to save life. The The number was not quite certain, nearer occupant was standing and him he but he thought they could be ashis arms. The two figures were suits of each journey, or nearly a day's pay. The armour. To avoid a fruitless journey the captain and crew for general service is so bundled the a through the window, were awarded \$1500; the captain to and they constituted almost the main por- ; have \$500 and the officers and orew \$1000 pro rata, the chief officer and other deck officers to rank according to their respective grades. The bravery question having been D sains all the curative virtues of the oil disposed of the only question was as to the risk to the ship and the delay. He had take into consideration the fact that some 32 of the consignees had been paid

value. The assessors were of opinion that: \$2500 for the services would be ample. Reducing this to 21300 the owners would still get more than that amount. The reward he would make was \$4000 which the assessors considered very liberal. Of this the plaintiffs would pay their proportion, which could be worked out. The

detention of the treasure was unlawful, and damages must be equivalent to the sum which the interest would amount to at eight per cent on the quantity of treasure the plaintiffs' retained. The captain of the tkashi was the real salver of the treasure and it was clear that the crews from their own story could not-have salved it, and if the treasure had not been salved there would have no action. The assesors agreed with him in thinking that the captain of the Aleashi ought to receive some recognition of his services. He did not think he had power to include him inthe award, but if the parties agreed he proposed to increase the award by \$500 for

THE LATE REV. A ILIFF. A memorial service for the late Rev. A Iliff, who was for some years seamen's a second journey coasting up and then Chaplain in this Port, will be held in the dropping down to the wreck, the weather | Seamen's Church, West Point, on Sunday then improving. The people would have Evening next at 6.31. The sermon will

VOLUNTEER CONCERT. The members of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps will hold another grand promenade concert on the Volunteer Parade ground to-morrow evening, when the band of the 3rd Middlesex Regiment, by kind permission of Lieut Col. R. F. B. Glover, D. S. O., will be in attendance. The pro-

gramme is as follows:-PART I. Band of the 3rd Middlesex Regiment. Tener Solo ... 'Look in mine eyes"...Jones Mr P. W. Goldring. f' The Captain said I'll stick to the ship ' Mr W. H. Hannibal.

Soprano Solo 'Love the Pedlar' Edward German Mrs G. H. Edwards. Why! Of course Duett Messrs W. Benedetto and Ivan Caryll. Selection ... 'The Gondoliers' ... Sullivan

Band of the 3rd Middlesex Regiment. Interval of 10 minutes. PART II. Selection....... Lady Madcap ... Rubens Band of the 3rd Middlesex Regiment. Tenor Solo..... 'Is love a dream '.....Jones

Mr G. H. Edwards. Duett La Serenata Braga The Misses Seth. The answer was:—No extra danger at Tenor Solo, Mether o' mine'. Frank Tours.
In case of tide turning she would Mr R. O. Graff. Song Selected.

Lieut. Crosse, R. G. A. American Sketch. By the Swance River. Myddleton. Band of the 3rd Middlesex Regiment. GOD SAVE THE KING.

Four defendance were find \$3 each, at the Marine Courte to-day, for anchoring their boats in the Refuge at Causeway Bay without permission.

Vigorous efforts are being made in Java to push the trade between that island and Australia, and for that purpose a direct line of steamers is now running. In furtherance of the movement, Mr W. L. Boschart, the Dutch Consul-General in the Common-wealth, who is now in Java, is delivering lectures on the land and people in Australia and New Zealand, with a special eye on the products of these

This evening there will be great doingsat the Alexandra Cinematograph theatre, getting away from the Yochow. (b) During accounted for by the fact that a grand the journey to and fro. (c) In getting benefit performance is to be given there \$1,231,182; that means a falling off of The answer was :- Not (a) as the boats | Giralda, a very talented and popular artiste were on the lee side; (b) Very arduous who, for the last few weeks has been the drawing card. A most excellent protwenty-one capital numbers, several of the latter to be contributed by local talent. Among the artists to appear will be Mr. Harry Gould, Mr Leckie, and Mr Douald Harvey, the great one-stringed violinist. Miss Giralda will appear in new dances, and Miss Hortensia and Signor Torras in new songs, while some new and excellent

> The following resolution has been passed by the Anjuman-i-Islam of Bombay: ... "The Anjuman-i-Islam of Bombay in dignantly repudiates the outrages perpetrated in different parts of India, and is strongly of opinion that it is necessary for the welfare and progress of In ha that any or suggestions for the better government action, and it regrets the recent disturbances of the public peace in Bombay. The Anjuman looks with satisfaction on the loyal attitude of Mussulmans, not only in this Presidency, but all over India,"

THE following paragraph was clipped: from the 'El Soi, a newspaper at Hermosillo, Mexico, it being a part of a letter to the publisher from a friend : "On

FROM MEXICO.

my last trip to my properties on the fronter, my beast fell with me to the ground. wounding me badly, but by thence provision Kad brought in my value a flish of humberlain's Pain Balm, and after using is I was able to continue my journey the following day as if nothing had happened. new r tire of praising this popular liniment or from recommending it." For sale by all chemists and storekees see

Lieber's Standard ; Watkins ; and A.L. TRANSPORM No. 232.

THE EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS.

PONTIFICIAL LEGATE'S TRIBUTE TO BRITAIN.

[(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay.)

London, September 10. The Roman Catholic (Eucharistic) Congress was solemnly opened yesterday, by a celebration of High Mass at Westminster Cathedral. The service history. Vast tracts of virgin forest have was most impressive, eight cardinals, farms in the path of the fires have been fourteen archbishops, and seventy bishops from all parts of the world besides most of the leaders of English

Catholicism, being present. Legate, in his opening address, paid England which, after the lapse of many centuries had opened the door to a pontificial legate. Cardinal Vannutelli gave expression to the Pope's great esteem and regard for the British nation, and recalled many unforgettable me- centered. mories of Catholic England. In conclusion Cardinal Vannutelli invoked the Divine blessing on Great Britain.

THE PURIFICATION OF SHANGHAI.

SOME IMPORTANT ARRESTS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Shanghal, September 11. The Managers of gambling resorts Messrs Ladow and Hanna, of Alhambra, and Popovitch, of Alcazar, were arrested last night on charge of vagrancy. They were brought before the American Court to-day and

remanded. Popovitch claims that he is not an

American citizen.

[REQUER'S SERVICE:]

THE ST. LEGER STAKES. London, September 2. The race for the St. Leger Stakes

resulted as follows. Your Majesty1 White Engle 2 Santo Strato 3

GERMANY AND MOROCCO.

LONDON, September 9. Herr Vassel, German Consul-General in Morocco, who has arrived at Alcazar en route to Fez, has informed the not ables that Mulai Hafid can count on the whole hearted co-operation of Gerassure Mulai Hafid that Germany mear to maintain the integrity of the country. and to help the Sultan out of his difficulties.

THE CONGO.

LONDON, September 9.

Congo Annexation Bill.

PERSIA.

LONDON, September 9. The Times' Teheran correspondent compliments. wires that an identical Russian Note has been presented to the Shah, drawing his attention to the disturbances in the provinces, and more especially in regard to the danger to the lives and property of foreigners at Tabriz. In it the Shah is urgently recommended to issue at the earliest possible moment the promised proclamation relating to the elections with a view to re-assuring the people regarding the maintenance of the constitution, and the summoning of Parliament by the middle of November,

A DANISH SENSATION.

LOPPON, September 9.

A sensation has been caused in Denmark by the confession of ex-Minister of Justice Alberti, who resigned in July sterling affecting the treasury of the President.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

FROM THE "CABLENEWS-AMERICAN." AMERICAN NEWS.

WARHINGTON, September 5. Bishop Charles H. Brent was the guest ther had not our dogs given out at of President Rousevelt at Oyster Bay critical moment," remarked the explorer. today. He called in the morning and forming one of the party of luncheon pold answered sloomily :- " I er speak quests at the President's summer home. in a culinary sense, miss."

It is understood that Bishop Brent and President Roosevelt held a long conference regarding matters relating to the Philippines. The President regrets very much the bishop's declination of the Washington

Washington, September 5. Frank P. Sargent, commissioner of immigration for the United States, died at his home here today. Mr Sargent was fifty-four years of age and has been commissioner-general of immigration since

St. Paul, Minn., September 7. The forest fires that have been raging in northern Minnesota and Canada during the present dry season have been the most disastrous for years. Minnesota has suffered more than at any period of her been swept by the remorseless flames, denuded of buildings and stock; villages and cities have proved insufficient barriers and have been destroyed. Reports received from the scene of the di asters to day state that more than twelve thousand people have already been rendered homeless. Dispatches state that the fires have caused the greatest calamity that has visited Cardinal. Vannutelli, the Papal the northwest country in years. The state and national authorities, cooperating with the Canadian officials, are fighting the for the aid of the sufferers. Governor Johnson and the state officials have visited the scone of the greatest disaster and are working night and day rushing supplies to the needy. Many people have been bereft made. of everything they own and a number of lives have been lost. this holm has suffered worse than the surrounding districts. It is here that most of the homeless are gathered and where relief work is being

WASHINGTON, September 7. The political horizon is just now black with clouds. The leaders on both sides have discovered a remarkable apathy among the voters throughout the country. Both Chairman Hitchcock and Chairman Mack have found that the average voter takes absolutely no interest in the progress of the campaign and no apparent interest in the success or failure of either of the candidates. The citizens attend the convention and show more or loss enthusiasm, but there has been nothing on which the statisticians of the two parties can work to Demeocrats send a man to the same locality | supremacy of gentleman against players. and he too is received with enthusiasm, by Bluckwood's Magaz ne. the self-same people who displayed their patriotism to the Republican spellbinder. In a large measure the people appear to be so misy that they have little time to devote to a discussion of the issues. Newspaper comment on the situation from non-partisan quarters direct attention to the fact that the Taft and Bryan policies are so interwoven and that the two parties have so much in comm in that this apparent apathy s but natural. It is predicted, however that there will be a heavy vote on election

CONSUL-GENERAL WILDER

IN MAÑILA.

The Silver-Tongued Orator Les cribes His Holiday Trip.

Mr Amos P. Wilder, Consul-General of the United States of North America in Hongkong, delighted the Army and Navy Club at a farewell dinner given in hi honour, by delivering an eloquent desription of his trip through the Philippines. To quote the Cobleneus American:

With the reputation of being perhaps the best after dinner orator in America, which fact was stated by one of the earlier talkers, those about the board expected much when the Consul-General arose. In twenty minutes they knew that they had listoned to the finest post- prandial preachment delivered in Manila in their residence here. Mr Wilder gave his impressions of many, and that he is going to Fex to the Philippines, their people, government and outlook. He is a believer in what has been done and is being done here by the administration. He admires the natives and urged that the closer the American dwellers in these islands get to the Filipinos socially, the sooner will the problem here be solved. He told a half dozen capital stories to illustrate his ideas. and though his utterances were the children The Belgian Senate has passed the of the moment, impromptu and dealing with topics touched on by previous speakers, yet his whole address was a perfectly-connected, logical-and sequential summing up of the thing, here as he sees it. His hearers were entranced, and the orator was overwhelmed with thanks and

CANTON.

The big landing stage which the officials have used for many years, situated at the south end of Canton, has for some time been in an unsatisfactory condition, and the authorities have, it is said, decided to replace it by a modern steel and iron structure. This project does not seem to have commanded the approval of some of the native papers, and their editors are pointing out that public, money might be better employed. The new landing stage will be one of considerable dimensions. being one hundred and fifty-two feet long, and seventy-two feet wide. These are Chinese feet, and, in order to get the dimensions in English feet, these measure- the times. According to an Ipoh conments should be increased about oneseventh. The estimated cost is about \$80,000. An agreement has been signed ostensibly on account of ill health, to with the Hing Wa Hong, which is said to defalcations estimated at half a million be a foreign Firm, but whether a native Firm doing business in foreign commodities, or a purely Foreign Firm does not clearly Peasants Savings Bank of which he was appear. Certainly if such a structure is daughters of well-known Towkays, will put up it will be a great improvement on the old wooden structure now in use, which, by the way, was built during the regime of hang Chih tung.

> In a Culinary Sense. The late Six Leopold McClintock, Arctic explorer, was once telling some of his adventures. ... We certainly would have travelled much fur-"Why," said the fair listener breathlessly, I thought that the Eskimo dogs were perfectly tireless creatures." Sir Treo

CRUISER LAUNCHED AT KOWLOON.

Christened By Mrs Stokes.

In the presence of a large and distinguished assembly the first patrol cruiser built by the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, to the order of the Chinese Government was launched from the Kowloon Docks yesterday. Amongst those present were: Rear-admiral and Mrs Stokes, Mr E. C. Blanchflower, naval secretary to Commodore, Commodore Lin, I.C.N., representing Admiral Li Chun, Commander B. L. Majendie, R. N., H. M. S. Cadmus, Captain McCormick, U.S.N., U.S.S. Albatross, Commander Wu, I.C.N., Commander Ching, I.C.N. and Mrs Wei Tsz King, Mr Harris, acting Commissioner, Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs, Kowloon; Capt. T. P. Hall, superintendent for Chinese Government, Mr Robt. Mitchell, acting chief manager, Hongkong and Whampos Dock Co., Mr W. Wilson, manager Kowloon Docks, and the superintendents of the various departments of the Kowloon works. ceremony, naming the cruiser the Kiang Cricket League will be held at their offices Report states that they have decided be larger than in 1907 is admitted, if the noble tribute to the hospitality of free larger cities relief work has been started Ta, and Mr Mitchell, of the Dock Co., in Queen's Buildings, at 5.30 on Thursday, to attack the chief city of the Loting spring wheat crops of North America

as a souvenir of the occasion. Complimentary speeches were then

SAYING. King Edward is still the great peace-

WHAT OTHER PAPERS ARE

maker .- Mail and Empire. But the Almighty has taken a hand in the disciplining of Venezuela. Gripped by the plague, abandoned by the world, for gotten by God himself, the unfortunate land is trying the effect of an isolation from which it may be expected to recover in due time in penitence. - New York Muil.

If cricket is to survive the prevailing professionalism, it must be born again in simplicity and humbleness, must thrive e ure an idea of the feeling of the country! once more upon the village greens, and A Republican speaker will visit a town and limit its ambition to contest between the create considerable enthusiasm. The counties, and to annual struggles for

> The gentle art of nagging the family the pleasant pastime of fretting and fuming while at the business office; the popular game of making oneself disagreeable in public, such as by crowding, pushing, shoving, jostling and otherwise inciting a perspiring street railway travelling public to justifiable homicide; the unhealthful practic of worrying and bothering over one's affairs, in general or particular, are amusements that properly belong to the season of winter sports. Drop them in thes, hot weeks. Call them off during the dog days. New York Herald.

> It is easier to assert that it is the golfing temperament that wins matches than to define what the golfing temperament is. Professionals are schooled to repress their feelings; among golfers of amateur mediscrity the natural passions have freer vent.

When one thinks of the extraordinary mportance of being able to use both hands equally well, one is amazed to find that the umbidexterity is confined to masters. And it is so simple to teach child to use both hands with equal ease. - Mundo.

"In a war with England the colonies of France or Germany would fall like ripe fruit from the tree." Col Foster, R. E. on Defence of the Empire," in the Sydney Daily Telegraph.

.The gradual encroachment of women on spheres of action commonly associated with masculine effort has been strikingly obvious themselves into trim for September 21. A of recent years; but we hear with some surprise, nevertheless, of Miss Ethel Everest's proposal to form a corps Amazons for the national defence. Miss Everest points out, very justly, there are many women belonging to the leisured classes who spend much of their time in riding and shooting and-following outdoor sports, and it is certain that such women could be organised so that they would be of more help than hindrance in time war. The Danish ladies at the Stadium are convincing proofs of the perfection to which feminine athletes may attain; and the success of Miss Phyllis Bethell at Bieley affords ample evidence that ladies can hold their own at the targets against their stary of the Victoria Recreation Club, or being invited to enrol ladies in the Territorial Army, regrets, in the stereotyped language of officialdom, that "he does not no other official reply was possible. - received.

To this very hour, with all our centuries of experiment and inquiry, the growth of the cheapest weed is a mystery. Every specimens of it follows the same law of its fe, to the minutest detail. Speck by speck, ring after ring, tint after tint, right on to all the delicate methods of its upbuilding there it is - a mystery !-Light.

Education has been at work in Turkey, as everywhere else; the people have grown weary of the old regime; many of them, we hope, have grown restless under the stigma that the bloodshed and pillage in Macedonia have left upon the character of their country; and they would be more. or less, than human if the general conduct of the Sultan did not disgust them .-

temporary a company has been formed by these to give a dramatic performance in Lpoh and Kampar, the proceeds of which will go towards the rolled of the sufferors by the recent floods and typhoon in their Fatherland. It is also announced, strange as it may appear, that several girls, sell flowers and other things in aid of the funds. We are extremely curious to know what the other things are. Surely they are not going to follow the example of some of their Western sisters at Fairs and Bazaars in retailing osculatory favours !-

WHAT EVERYBODY SAYS MUST BE

TIVERYB DY who has used it says Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and hef from pains in the ston sch or distribues. which is positive proof of its reliability For sale by all chemists and storekeepers.

SPORTING.

Athletic Notes.

entirely given over to sport and recreation, | G. Alexandra (skip); W. Stewart, G. Dunand on the whole the several events are | can. W. Pelling, A. Ritchie (skip); Tulley, generally well patronized. 1ct it is a J. Spittles, Weaser, T. F. Neves (skip); A. pity that some fixed arrangement is not M. Neves, H. T. Richardson, J. Mead, made between the committees of the Lapsley (skip); G. Jordan, Neilson, and J. respective sporting clubs, so that, as fre- Clelland. quently happens, all the sporting events are not held on one saturday afternoon. leaving the following one or two Saturday's blank. Such an arrangement too, would tend to the greater success of the various events. It is well known that each club obliges the other in this respect, so far as they are able, but, probably it would not be too much to suggest that a sport's committee be formed in Hongkong, composed of representatives of each club, in order to avoid the too frequent over-lapping of sporting encounters.

Cricket.

counts for the last season will be pre-ented. The office bearers will also be elected for the ensuing season.

On Saturday, afternoon commencing at 2 p.m., the following team will meet in a match on the Hongkong Cricket Club's

Probables:-Capt. H. M. Beasley, R.A. W. Edwards, E. A. Fowler, Capt. Garnett, R.A., E. H. Hinds, Lt. G. R. Home, 3rd Mid., R. O. Hutchison, A. E. Lanning, H. R. Makin, A. W. J. Peake, Corpl. Sharpe, 3rd Mid, and W. C. D. Turner. C. Witchell, and A. H. Young.

to-morrow afternoon, the home club will play the Kowloon Sergeauts Mess eleven. Kowloon will be represented by the follow- regiments with a view to sending them into ing team :- S. Lightfoot, Irvine, Pedder, Capt. Summerville, Jones C. E. Libeaud, uprisings, though not very formidable, A. Gregory, H. Clements, P. R. Robinson, C. Jeffries and H. Goldsmith. Reserve H. Dewsbury. Wickets pitched 2.15 p.m.

A Suggestion for the V. R. C.

An exciting event at the Luleham Regatta was an elopement race, in which the eight competitors had to launch their boats, row to a punt, in which eight ladies were awaiting them, and "elope" with them. Something like this might be worked into the next V. R. C. water trolics.

A Silver Cup was presented by Mr J. S. Gubbay, of Hongkong, to the Jewish Lads Brigade for the best all round score in the Loualization of Dividend Fund, making a billiard professors and a few fencing camp in the junior division, when he was abotal of \$72,053.35, to be appropriated as in London recently....

The Harbour Swim.

-The aspirants for the Harbour swim are now out in full cry of an evening, and training for the race is going on apace. Almost every night several of the long distance swimmers may be seen getting the race is not confined to any one club in the Colony, we would draw the attention of the naval and military sporting members of the community to the fact, hoping that they may be induced to try their prowess in his direction. In former years both branches of the service have been well represented, and it is hoped that the same thing will be seen this year. It only re mains with the naval and military athletes to send their names in as early as possible either to Mr Frank Lammart, hon. secremasculine competitors. But Mr Haldane, the Sporting Editor of the China Mail, accompanied with the entrance fee of fifty cents. Entries close at 6 p.m. on see his way." As a matter of fact, of course, September 18. Several names have been

Billiards.

The competition is again becoming keen in regard to the prizes that are being offered by Mrs. Matthaey of the Oriental Hotel for the two biggest breaks scored during the month of September. Yesterday evening a break of thirty-six was made by a gentleman playing under a nom-de-plume, while several breaks of twenty-five and over have been made. Mr. Pitt, the winner of the "Peall" billiard one in the last competition, is of course harred from entering the present competition, but he is allowed to play with any other competitior.

R. C.-Annual Aquatic Sports.

It is with the greatest regret, that owing o lack of accommodation, the committee of the Victoria Recreation Club find themselves quable to invite the ladies of Hongkong to their annual aquatic sports which are to be held on the 24th, 25th and 26th inst. The committee, over solicitious of the comfort of their guests, and more particularly that of the ladies, to whom in former years they extended an invitation to attend this annual event, feel the keelest disappointment in being thus rejuctantly com elled not to extend similar invitation this year to Horgkong ladies, who it is felt, while also being Distribues Remedy never fails to give re greatly disappointed, will appreciate the committee's thoughtfulness, owing to the lack of accommodation.

Lawn Bowls.

The Kowloon Bowling Green Club will entertain the K.C.C. on Saturday at 4 p.m. Saturday afternoons in Hongkong are when the visitors will be represented by:

KWANGSI STILL DISTURBED

According to published reports, conditions in the western parts of Kwangsi are anything but satisfactory. The centre of, the trouble is the Prefecture of Loting. During the present month Chinese officials have been conscious that things were somewhat threatening, and they drafted troops moreover, are supporting the rebels, havoc with present calculations. order of the Prefect of Loting. The people were not annoyed at the arrest of the men, but it appears that in carrying out their orders the soldiers were rough and cruel to the peasantry and shopkeepers, and so aroused antagonism, which has not been easily allayed. While the inhabitants were feeling exasperated at the roughness and Possibles:-Ptc. Barton, 3rd Mid., R. thoughtlessness of the soldiers the revolu-On the Kowloon Cricket Club ground Admiral Li Tsun has been ordered by the on, anticipating prices to go up to the Vicercy to send troops and once more dollar mark. there is a general movement amongst the the disaffected district. These frequent must be very annoying to the authorities, and at the same time must prove very

HONGKONG COTTON SPINNING WEAVING & DYEING CO., LTD.

The following is the report for presentation to shareholders at the eleventh ordinary meeting to be held at the Offices of the General Managers on Saturday, 26th September, at 12, noon:-The General Managers beg to submit a statement of accounts covering the period from 1st August, 1907 to 31st July, 1908.

The balance at Credit of Profit and Loss Account is \$32,053.35, to which it is proposed to add the sum of \$40,000 from business under new crop conditions.

To pay a dividend of 5% for the

carry forward to credit of next year's account ... 9,553.35

CONSULTING COMMITTEE. - On the retirement of Mr A. G. Wood, Mr J. W. C. Bonnar was invited to take his place. C. P. Chater, C.M.G., and Mr J. W. (Bonnar retire but being eligible offer themselves for re-election. AUDITOR. - The Accounts have been audited by Mr. W. Hutton Potts,

offers himself for re-election. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd. General Managers. Hongkong, 8th September, 1908.

A Mirade correspondent writes to a Colombo paper relating that a little girl of Opalgalu, who went out one early morning into the jungle to pick mangoes, was set upon by a bear and would have been killed, had not a buffalo that was grazing near a hand, seeing the bear, rushed at it. The bear left the girl uninjured and fled into the jungle.

Alone He Did It. When Police Constable Ponderoof entered the police statior to sign off night duty he reported the sudden fall of a chimney on his beat in the wee sma' hours. "Any idea what caused it to fall?" enquired the sergeant. "The chimbley was in a very shake condition for a long tim ," answered the portly Ponderoof. "Was there any heavy traffic passing along the street at the time?" "Only me, sergeant."

A NEIGHBOR'S KINDVE S. Af R. W. J. Fuller, J.P., storekeeper, kong and Hainan: Same as No. 1. VI Rendelsham. South Au tralia. writes: "I was called to a see a neighbor who was suffering from severe ora ps and who really thought he was part help gave him three doses of Chamberlain's Olic, Cholers and Diarrhoes R-medy. and in a few hours he had quite recovered. Remedy. It liquifies the tough muçus, I freq ently use this remedy in my own making it easier to expectorate, keeps the family and sell it to my custom re on a po- cough loose, and makes the paroxyms of sti e guarantee." For sale by all chemiste coughing ess frequent and less severe.

Hongkong, September 8, 1908

COMMERCIAL.

THE WHEAT TRADE.

As the sesson advances the crop situation

becomes more clearly defined. One point

is definitely settled, and that is the Pacific North-west will not raise a big crop of wheat. Yet there is absolutely no reason to expect the total to approach less than forty million bushels. Extreme heat, connection with drouth, seriously damaged the spring wheat over Eastern Oregon and Washington. There are thousands of acres that will not pay to cut, and many more that will not produce over half a crop. even with favorable conditions from now You MAY on. But conditions are not favorable. Showers have done little good over a vast extent of the country. Many fields that were very promising, that had a good thither, to be prepared for any contingency; start, and were well headed were hit as by Apparently they have not yet been able a blast from a furnace. The heads in big to get control of the disaffected districts, spots throughout the fields turned white, Quite recently there has been a distinct and the damage will be severe. Regarding effort on the part of the revolutionists, who the situation as a whole, it may be said are said now to number about two thousand, that present conditions seem to indicate Tomes and Co., the annual general meeting men. This part of the country is very semewhat better than half a crop, but Mrs Stokes performed the christening of the clubs connected with the Hongkong hilly and well suited to their purposes. rather under three-quarters. That it will esented Mrs Stokes with a watch bangle | September 17, when the report and ac- prefecture on the day of the Autumn maintain their present promise; but should festival. The people of the district, severe losses be scored, it would play inasmuch as they sympathise with them. foundation for comparatively high prices The reason for this attitude towards the seems excellent. A steady decline in prices rebels is that recently some four of their would mean stagnation of the milling and leaders were arrested and beheaded by export demand, and heavy marketings. from first hands to continuously depress prices. Considerable attention has been given to the new supplies coming about to come upon the international market. Very little attention has been given the demand. Values quoted at the present time are far above an export value, but the scramble to secure wheat before the season advances too far is very dis-Basa, R. E. O. Bird, A. A. Claxton, E. W. tionists chipped in and induced a number cernible. Both millers and exporters are Day, Corpl. Gooding, 3rd Mid., Lt. L. C. to turn traitors by joining the robbers. paying extreme prices, and competition Lamour, R.A., H. L. Manderson, T. E. Meanwhile a great many tolograms are is very keen. Farmers, on the other Pearce, E. B. Reed, F. H. H. Stevens, R. being sent by the officials, and urgent hand, are not offering new wheat freely, appeals are forwarded for more troops, and are willing to sell part of their crop at especially for the district of Loting. present and hold the remainder for later

Some millers report a good business and others say it is poor. As to foreign business, there is none to speak of. China is willing to buy, but stocks of export flour are practically cleaned up and old wheat very scarce. Central and South America are ordering fair quantities of old flour, and are paying the market price. Japan not a purchaser. Prices are too high for the Japanese breadesters, and their local mills are grinding native wheat and selling the flour cheaper than we can quote them, hence no business is passing with that country. China is will ing to buy, but prices are about 25c per barrel out of line with buyers abroad. The large importers of Europe are buying little or no flour.

All are looking forward to the receipt of new wheat, and the possibilities for

China will no doubt purchase freely, it to owing to the closing up of the Hongkong Mills, now in the hands of a receiver. 'It is underiably true that both the United States and Canada-the North American continent—will not produce much if any more than a good average

crop of wheat. With continued light shipments and crops already damaged to a considerable extent, the conclusion is irresistible that the markets must continue to rule firm. whilst the crop damage to the United tates spring wheat crop may not be really as bad as the Chicago authorities say, or should it Drugs, and in strict accordance develop by reason of continued bad weather and rust, then there is no saying where prices will go. - The Commercial Review.

WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory :-On the 11th at 11. 5 a.—The typhoon is moving towards N.E. ab at midway between the Loochoos and the Bonins. The barometer has fallen over N. China owing to a depression which appears to be confidence. passing from the Continent to the Yellow

Pressure has increased slightly and bighest over N.E. Japan. Light variable to moderate N.E. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel, and light variable winds over the N. part of the China Sea. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours cuding at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.

. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon FORECAST DISTRICT. 1.—Hongkong and Neighbourhood: Variable winds, light; fair. 2. -Formoss Channel, Variable to N.E.

winds, light to moderate. 3. South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks : Same as No. 1. · 4.—South coast of China between Hong-

WHOOPING COUGH. TEH'S is a very dangerous disease unless

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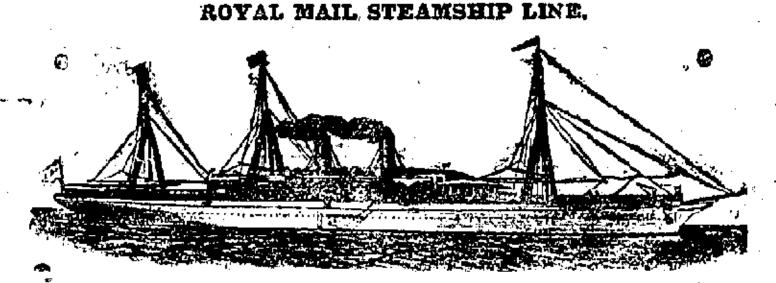
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINBULAR & ORIENTAL

Hongkong, September 10, 1908.

STEAM NAVIGATION CO.'S STEAMER PERA.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, MALTA, PORT SAID, SUEZ AND STRAITS.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the aboveuamed Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowne at Kowlcon where each Consign. ment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, Optional Goods will be landed here un-

Goods not cleared by the 16th inst., at p.m., will be subject to rent. -. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Conigner's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted

after the goods have left the Godowns. F. J. ABBOTT, Acting Superintendent. Hongkong, September 10, 1908.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, ____

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SAN FRANCISCO: HONOLULU

JAPAN AND SHANGHAL MONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship SIBERIA. The above named Steamer having arrived. Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for

countersignature, and to take immediate delivery from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed at once at Consignees' risk and expense. Cargo remaining on board after WED NESDAY, the 9th September, 1908, at 5 p.m., will be landed and stored at Con-

signees' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. All Cargo undelivered on MONDAY September 14th, 1908, at 12 Noon, will b anhiect to rent. All chafed and otherwise damaged carge will be examined at the above Company Godown on SATURDAY, the 12th Sept.

at 10 s.m. S. SILVERSTONE

Hongkong, September 5, 1908. IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

having arrived. Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowoon, and West Point Godowns whencedelivery may be obtained. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowok, and all goods remaining pudelivered after the 16th of September, will be subject to rent.

All Broken, Chaied, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 16th of September, at 9.50 a.m. All claims mush reach us before the 20th f September, 1908, or they will not be No Pire Insurance will be effected.

the undersigned. NORDDBUTSCHER LLOYD. MELCHERS & CO.. Agents.

A PHOSPHATE ISLAND IN THE PA-IFIC.

Americans are deeply interested in singular insular development under their own auspices, in the midst of the vast Pacific Ocean. The scene is the ting island called Nauru, which is one of the remote Gilbert group, described by a recent visitor as " five thousand miles from anywhere." Nauru is only eighteen miles in circumference, and its population does not exceed 1,550. It is entirely phosphate formation. An enterprising German company is exporting quantities of the rock for the manufacturer of fertilising commedities, mainly to America. The nutives, who are of the Polynesian, not of the Malay or Papua, stock, are steadily carning money to an extent they have never before dreamed of. Moreover, so Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods profitable is the speculation that 500 Chinese coolies have been imported to develop the phosphate industry, so that this isle is perhaps the busiest little spot in the whole of the Southern or Central

The interest of the Americans in Nauru is demonstrated by a remarkable missionary work that is being promoted. Two able and energetic missionaries. Mr and Mrs. Delaporte, eight years ago landed on the spot, and quickly mastered the language. They built a church, which has an average congregation of 700 native worshippers. Usptain W.H. LEA, having arrived from the and established schools, attended by over 300 of the young people. Mr Delaporto is a practical as well as cultured man, and it is reckoned a truly wonderful fact that he has translated the New Testament, and that this has been printed by natives under his instruction, the volumes being bound in America .- Poll Mull Gazette.

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THE Steamship Arratoon Appear having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from along-

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ECHOES OF THE SIEGE OF PORT ARTHUR.

The Commission_appointed to consider claims to compensation in connection with Port Arthur will have finished its labours 20,000 claims to consider, which is a mere nothing when we remember what faced it when it began its labours. If the Commission had paid all the money asked, it would have to raise a foreign lean for the purpose; but by relentless and perhaps unjust cutting-down it has made it possible for the Russian Government to pay the claims without any outside assistance.

The extent to which this cutting-down process was carried may be judged from

the fact that Ti-fon-tui, a wealthy Chinese morehant, who provisioned the Russian troops at Port Arthur, Mukden, etc., dur-

The Minister of Foreign Affairs has decided to inquire into the circumstances regarding the confiscation by the Japanese J in Port Arthur of a sum of over R.2 ,000 standing in the name of Admiral Alexeieff, but forming a fund intended for the support of the local schools which was originally contributed by various philanthrepic Russians, who are now inquiring what became of their money. Pall Mall Gazelte.



HOW CLARA ATTIAS ALARMED HER MOTHER.

ANAEMIA WAS SAPPING THIS YOUNG GIRL'S STRENGTH. SHE SUPPERED CONSTANT PAINS-WAS ALWAYS AILING-SEEMED TOO WEAR To Lave.

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"We had doctor's opinion about the poor girl's condition and she took the medicines prescribed, but none of them did her any good. It was not until I tried the effects of Dr Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People upon her that there appeared to be any hope. The result brought about by Dr Williams' Pink Pills on Clara was marvellous. She rapidly regained appetite, and soon was well on the high road to, health. In a short time she was completely cured and so has remained to this day. "Besides the ailments I have already spoken of," said Mrs Attias in conclusion, T must mention that Clara showed marked symptoms of Kidney Disorder. Dr Williams' Pink Pills cured her of these also. As a token of my gratitude for what Dr Williams' Pink Pills have done for my

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General Managers. Hongkong, September 11, 1908. 1253 INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPURE.

ITHE Co.'s Steamship Choysang having A arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of cargo by her are hereby informed

that their goods will be delivered from Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m., the 12th inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ld.,

General Managers. Hongkong, September 11, 1908. 1251

Hongkong Tides.

The tide table given below has been compiled at the Nautical Almanac Office In London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an automatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Tsim Sha Tsui during the years 1887-8-9.

The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the soundings in the Admiralty Charte which has been found to be 4 feet 3 inches below mean sea level. To obtain the depth of water on the tide gange at the Victoria Naval Yard add 8 feet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamont

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STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL August 21, Alcinous, Hitachi Maru. August 25. Meinam, Dortmund, Sado

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Soyo Maru. Hotel Maneions, Hongkong. September 4, Wray Castle, Suruga, C. Hongkong, September 11, 1908. 1252 Ford Lavisz, Ceylon Maru, Glenturret, Hyson, Kanagawa Maru. Peshawur. Se tem er 8, Scharnhorst, Benledi, Bingo Maru, Caledonien, Cornarvonshir Istria, hlkantara, Konangsi, Zieten.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The M. M. Co.'s steamer Ville de la Ciotat with the FRENCH Mail of the 16th August and mails from London of the 15th August, left Saigon on Friday, the 11th Sept., at 4 a.m., For HOIHOW & HAIPHONG. and may be expected to arrive here on Monday morning, the 14th Sept., and will leave for Sha ghai and Japan on For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL. replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 11th July.

The P. M. S. S. China sailed from Yokohams on the 6th September, and will be due to arrive here, arrying the American Mail, on September 16th. The Imp: German Mail.s.s. Prinz Waldemar left Sydney on Wednesday, the

expected here on or about Friday, the 18th September. The C P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of China arrived at Yokohama at 7:30 a.m. on Wednesday, the 9th September, and left again at 3 p.m. the same day for For SHANGHAI.-Kobs, where she is due to arrive at 4 p.m. on Thursday, the 10th Sept.

he C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of Japan For SAMARANG & SOURABAYA. arrived at Nagasaki at 7.30 a.m. on Thursday, the 18th Sept., and left again at 4 p.m. the same day for Kobe, where she is due to arrive at 6 s.m. on Saturday, the 12th Sept.

Respected. The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Austria left For TIMOR, PORT DARWIN, THURS-Singapore for this port on the 8th September, and is due here on the 14th September. he s.s. Awa Maru left Moji for this port via Shanghai on the 7th September. and is expected here on the 14th Sept.

The Davish steamship Cathau left Kobe on Sunday, the 6th Sept., a.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 14th Sept. The s.s. Yeboshi Maru left Moji for this MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .here on the 15th Sept.

The s.s. Tosa Maru left Kobe for this port via Moji and Shanghai on the 8th September, and is expected here on the 17th September. The s.s. Yelorufu Maru left Colombo for this port via Singapore on the 7th September, and is expected here on the 23rd September.

The J.-C. Japan Lijn steamer Tjipanas left Macassar for this port on the 10th Sept., and may be expected here on or about the 18th Cept. at daylight. She will leave for Yokohama No late fee. and Kobs on or about the 23rd Sept. The Ben Line steamer Benvoran from Middlesbro, Antwerp and London,

The s.s. Craigear left Seattle for Hongkong via ports on the 26th Aug. The s.s. Saint Patrick left New York on the 28th July for Hongkong via ports. MAILS BY THE UNITER STATES PACKET.

Sept. 5th, for Victoria and Tacoma via The Mogul Line s.s. Pathan left Singapore on the 9th September, for Hongkong. The E. & A. steamer Empire from Syd ney &c., left Port Darwin on 6th Sept.

for Timor, Manila and this port.

Latest Advices The Denish s.s. Tranquebar left Singapore on Wednesday night, the 9th No late fee: Sept., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 15th Sept., at (topplementary Mail on board up to the

The Imp. German Mail s.s. Scharnhorst which left bere on Thursday, the 13th August errived at Gence on Thursday, the 10th Sept., at t p.m. he a.a. Inverio arrived at Manils on the

VESSELS AT THE DOCKS. At Koudson. - Sorsogon, H.M.S Whiting, U.S.S. Albatross, Railan, Chan On Rubi, Montanes, Klaugts, Pongtong, Germanie, Hapeh. Compositon. - Possboutsey Kags Mary

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DEPARTURES.

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PASSENGERS.

Per Manila, for Manila and Australia, Orozco Y. Morters R. E. Libby, G. Glitz, cost, Mr and Mrs Ozorio, Mrs Stone and maid, Capt. Bode, Mrs M. Babenhorst, Mrs Kobayashi, Mrs Munroe, Rev. H. Sanger, and Mrs Sanchez Bonape. Per Lutzow, for Shanghai, Mrs A. E. Abraham, Miss K. Abraham, Mr W. Engel and party, Mr and Mrs T. J. Collaco, Miss Ellis, Misses Engel, Messrs G. Keitel, O Fink, C. R. Hodgers, J. E. Ellis and Fregoline; for Nagasaki, Mr. C. Wada,

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close:-

Fo SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOM-BAY.— Per Capri, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the Mr W. H. Kelly -- 12th Sept.

For MANILA .-Per Zifiro, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 12th Sept. For SAIGON .-

Per Fiume, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 12th Sept. For MACAU.-. Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Saturday.

the 12th Sept. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-OUTTA.— Per Looksang, at 2 p.m., on Saturday. the 12th Sept.

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Per Carl Diederichsen at 5 p.m., on Saturday, 12th Sept. the same afternoon. This packet brings | Per Daijin Maris, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, | Mirs Evans the 13th Sept.

For NINGPO & SHANGHAL-Per Kwongsang, at 11 a.m., on Monday, Mr Gausden the 14th Sept. For TIENTSIN.-

Per Chipshing, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15th Sept. 26th August, at 9 p.m., and may be For KEELUNG, SHANGHAI, MOJI, ROBE, SHIMIDZU, YOKOHAMA, VIOTORA & SEATTLE. Per Kaga Maru, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday,

the 15th Sept. Per Kiukiang, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the loth Sept.

Capt. and Mrs K. D. Mr D. Woods Fer Quarta, at 4 p m., on Tuesday, the 15th Sept. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & CO-Per Asca Maru, at 5 p.m. on Tuesday. | Mrs C. C. Barker

the 15th Sept. DAY ISLAND, COOK TOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRIS. Miss P. Baum BANE, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE Per Aldenham, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 17th Sept.

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port on the 9th Sept., and is expected The French Contract Packet Australian will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 15th Sept., with Mails for the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Mr W. S. Cushing Mrs Tozer Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Mr K. Freund Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar, Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.

Registration at 10 a.m. Registration, with late fee of 10 cents, p to 10.45 a.m. Registration, Kowloon B.O., 10 a.m. Letters at 11 a.m.

Late Letters 11.00 a.m. to noon. Extra-Postage 10 cents. left Singapore on the 9th Sept., for (Letters posted in all the Pillar Boxes in time for the first clearance will be included in this contract mail).

The a.s. Kumeric sailed from Kobs on The United States Mail Packet Siberia will be despatched on SATURDAY. the 19th Sept., with Mails for Keelone, Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, San Franoisco, Phitod States, Canada, Pero, do., which will be closed at follows: Printed Matter and Samples at 9 a m. Registration at 9 a.m. Registration, with tate fee of 10 centr,

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